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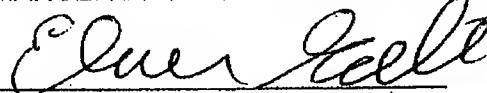
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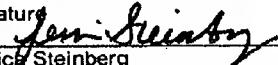
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AMENDMENT

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Claims as Amended: beginning on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments: beginning on page 11.

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